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HERE'S ANOTHER LIST!

COLLECTOR SIXTON AGAIN ASKS FOR POLICE INVESTIGATION.

Drum-Shop Keepers Who Must Show Clean Bills—More Inquiry as to Saloon Keepers' Moral Character—Frank Goldstein's Attempt to Get a License—Eberhart Failing on All His Wires.

Six drum-shops have been reported to the Police Board for investigation as to the moral character of the proprietors and their surroundings. Collector Sixton has been asked to make a list of the proprietors and their surroundings. He has still a large number of drum-shops to visit. He has also a large number of saloon-keepers to visit. He has also a large number of saloon-keepers to visit. He has also a large number of saloon-keepers to visit.

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HAPPY HEARTS UNITED.

A ROMANTIC MARRIAGE CELEBRATED AT HURST'S HOTEL THIS MORNING.

A Pair Joined in the Bonds of Holy Matrimony—Never Met Before This Morning—Courtship and Marriage of Wm. D. Halsey and Mrs. Susan L. Gray.

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FLEEING FROM FIRE.

A FRIGHTFUL SCENE IN THE OLYMPIC THIS AFTERNOON.

Smelling Smoke, a Large Audience Becomes Panicked—Stricken—Wild Scenes in the Theater—Ladies Faint—Nobody Seriously Hurt.

A scene of wild excitement took place near the end of the first act of Erminie this afternoon. A small fire was noticed and all at once the entire audience which filled the theater sprang to its feet and a terrible panic ensued. Some one then cried "fire" and for a time a terrible confusion seemed to reign. As the bulk of the audience was ladies and children, the actors on the stage were, for the moment, bewildered but almost at once regained their presence of mind and began a song. The few men in the audience sprang on to the seats and yelled "sit down" and "there is no danger" and after a few moments quiet was regained. Ladies fainted and had hysterics, but as far as could be found no one was injured. There was no explanation as to the cause of the panic, which came near being a frightful catastrophe.

After quiet was restored part of the audience left, but a larger portion remained in their seats until the end of the performance.

IN THE SHERIFF'S CUSTODY.

Henry S. Ives and George H. Stayer Arrested in New York.

NEW YORK, January 26.—Henry S. Ives and George H. Stayer were arrested to-day by Deputy Sheriff Nathan and Detective on an order issued by Judge O'Brien of the Supreme Court, in the suit of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroad Co. The bail in each case was fixed at \$50,000. The men are now in the custody of the Sheriff. They are charged in the suit with misappropriating the funds of the company. Frank R. Lanning, counsel for the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroad Co., was in the office in the Equitable Building this afternoon. He said that the matter is a very serious one. "All I can say is that we, on behalf of the railroad company, have sued Ives and Stayer for defrauding the company out of \$2,500,000. The Sheriff has been looking for the men for the past few days and was not able to place them until to-day. Judge O'Brien has fixed the bail in the case at \$250,000 each. You may think it a very unusual thing to arrest a man, but we call it a civil action."

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THE POOR OF THE SOUTH END.

An Entertainment for the Benefit of the Carondelet Relief Association.

The Carondelet Relief Association gave its eighteenth annual benefit at the Germania Turner Hall, on Michigan and Robert avenues, last night. The entertainment was a performance given by the Marquette Minstrels. After the performance the President of the association, Mr. F. W. Mott, made his annual report. The association has been in existence since 1878 and has since that time looked after the Carondelet relief. It has a list of names of the charitable organizations of the city. They have collected so far in rendering material benefits to the poor in the portion of the city. At the gathering last night the Carondelet Relief Association had been organized and the ladies desired to express their heartfelt thanks to the Post-Dispatch for the liberal allowance made them out of the Carondelet Relief Association. The ladies had been enabled to furnish the poor of Carondelet with shoes, stockings and clothing under much the same system as that in operation at the headquarters of the Post-Dispatch. The Carondelet Relief Association has been organized and the ladies desired to express their heartfelt thanks to the Post-Dispatch for the liberal allowance made them out of the Carondelet Relief Association. The ladies had been enabled to furnish the poor of Carondelet with shoes, stockings and clothing under much the same system as that in operation at the headquarters of the Post-Dispatch.

Fatal Skydiving.

BALTIMORE, Md., January 26.—While skydiving in a balloon in Calvert street last night, Edward Gordon, the barkeeper, was accidentally shot in the left breast and fatally wounded by Peter J. Campbell, a member of the Maryland Legislature from this city. Campbell gave himself up to the police.

Saved From Hungry Rats.

From the New York Times.

Owing to the heavy rains of late, water rats have been driven to seek refuge in barns, out-houses, or wherever they could find shelter from the pelting rain or cold winds. A great number of hungry-looking rodents that make their home along the banks of the Potomac river, and in the city, sought refuge one day recently in an out-house adjoining the premises of a man named Simon. The rats were north of the city, and a knoll close by where a landslide occurred some time ago.

Will Take a Paper House With Them.

From the Boston Transcript.

There is an exhibition at Worcester's portable building, to be used by the Harvard astronomical party in their South American expedition. The building is made of heavy paper and canvas, sheets being stretched upon a frame of poles. It is built in small sections, so that it can be moved from place to place. The building when ready for occupancy is eighteen by twenty-two feet high and is built upon a platform of three feet high. The building is divided into three rooms and is lighted by six large windows. The building will be taken down, packed, and shipped to New York, where it will be used for the purpose of the expedition. The building is built in small sections, so that it can be moved from place to place. The building when ready for occupancy is eighteen by twenty-two feet high and is built upon a platform of three feet high. The building is divided into three rooms and is lighted by six large windows. The building will be taken down, packed, and shipped to New York, where it will be used for the purpose of the expedition.

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A DEATH-RED BAPTISM

RABBI SPITZ TELLS A STORY OF ST. MARY'S
INTERMARRIAGE

The Mother Superior Authorizes a Denial of the Basis of His Attack—Fanny Lederer Was Baptized, But She Had Requested It and Was Thought to Be Dying—The Girl's Tale.

Rabbi Spitz in the latest number of the enlarged Jewish Voice, issued yesterday, tells the following story:

"A young Jewish girl, one of three children of a young woman coming from Bohemia to this city, and working here for an honest living, some three weeks ago attacked by a very severe illness. Notwithstanding the best medical treatment, it became necessary to remove the sick and suffering girl to a place where good medical attendance and proper nursing would be assured. In the course of recovery, she was brought into the 'garage' of the Jewish Hospital, where for many weeks her life was despoiled by the sisters. The poor patient grew worse and worse, until one day she sank into a deep coma, from which she never thought to be imminent. In a state of perfect unconsciousness the Jewish girl was baptized by a person authorized thereto. The two sisters, thinking that the one they so dearly loved would never recover, were so grieved and separated from them spiritually, that they simply distanced their grief and heart-rending mind, from their scant means of support paid \$8 weekly to the hospital, henceforth the girl was left to the tender mercies of the message from friends of the girl (importing us into the hospital) to be baptized. We hastened in company with an influential Jewish citizen to the hospital, and at the hospital, where we met our friends, we were met by the bedside of her loved one. With streaming eyes and a face that seemed to reflect the above mentioned facts, she related to us her own story. She said that our religion, that baptism administered to a perfectly unconscious person was of no consequence, and that she was so glad that in case of death she could claim her baptism. She said that she was so glad to be baptized, however, recover, she would remain and be a Jewess."

had happened. That quieted her down somewhat. The girl has recovered and is now out of the hospital."

THE RABBI

prefaces and concludes his narrative with strong denunciation. He was seen this morning as he was about to open his eyes. But

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was a Jew girl, and they never said anything about religion or baptizing or anything of the sort."

MRS. BENJAMIN

said: "Fanny doesn't remember it because she was unconscious. Her sister, who stayed with her part of the time, came here one day and said: 'The Sisters are going to baptize and they want to baptize you. If you don't, they will baptize her.' She went to Rabbi Spitz, and he went to see about it. I never heard another word about it. Maybe they did go on and baptize her, but I don't know enough to give her consent. What does it matter anyway? She is a Jewess. She went there to be cured of the fever. They couldn't change her religion. I don't think she was ever baptized. Her sister could not be seen, or her sister

GREEDY TELEPHONE COMPANIES.
New York Merchants Demand Legislation
Reducing the Charges.
By Telegram to the POST-DISPATCH.
NEW YORK, January 26.—The Special Committee of the Board of Trade and Transportation, which has been urging the adoption of a bill by the Legislature reducing telephone

nation with about half a hundred merchants who had responded to the invitation sent out by the committee asking all those who were in favor of the movement to attend this meeting. Simon Sterne, Chairman of the committee, presided, and in opening the meeting made an

address, in which he claimed that the telephone companies were not exempt from legislative regulation on the ground assumed by them that because they were private corporations, making private contracts with whoever wanted their instruments, the Legislature would not prescribe what they should or

should not charge, Burton H. Harrison and John H. Camp, lawyers for the Telephone Co., were present at the meeting, and although they took no part in it, their stenographer jotted down notes of Mr. Sterne's speech and the other remarks that were made. The bill now before the Legislature was introduced

yesterday received a vote of thanks from the gentlemen at the meeting for his efforts in its behalf. It proposes to reduce the price of telephones to all subscribers from \$15 and \$12.50 a month to \$6 a month in

owns throughout the State, and the petition asking for the passage of the bill, and which has been in circulation only two days, had up to the close of business yesterday afternoon over 700 signatures. In the course of the discussion yesterday it was stated that the cost of the new machinery in European cities was

much less than in this State, the charge in Vienna being \$40; Paris, \$40 to \$50; London, \$60, and Berlin \$30, while in New York it ranged \$150 to \$180. It was also stated that in other cities of this country the charge was considerably less than here and the service very much better, and it was claimed at \$6 a

Stealing Lumber From Indians.
CLOQUET, Minn., January 26.—The Fond du Lac band of Chippewa Indians, in council last

night, adopted resolutions calling on the Commissioner of Indian Affairs to employ the military forces of the United States to remove the reapers from the reservation. There are about three hundred white men engaged in cutting and hauling logs in defiance of the law.

A Valuable Horse Stolen.

horse, the property of B. M. Lemley of Blodgett, this county, was stolen on the night of the 23d inst. Sheriff Greer of this city was notified this morning to look out for the horse and thief.


